

**Christie McCarthy****"Burn The Ships"**

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The emperors bloodline lasted for just a century  
when ships full of warriors and equine landed on the  
shores in B.C.  
their chief and commander Alexander at the helm  
looked at his army and said boys I didnt come here to  
fail

So burn the ships, burn the ships were here to stay  
burn the ships, there is no other way  
people will follow like little lost sheep long after our  
annihilation  
burn the ships I said, were forging a new nation

She looked at the shackles hanging from her pure bred  
mother  
she saw what shed always oppose for herself and all  
her daughters  
Elizabeth Cady and her army of suffragettes  
set sail for equality and once on shore she proudly  
suggests

Burn the ships, burn the ships were here to stay  
burn the ships, there is no other way  
History will honor the strides that we made long after  
were in our graves  
burn the ships I said, go ahead and free the flood  
gates

Watching time go by in this 9 to 5  
Hungry for the heat, trying just to keep the dream alive  
Baby, one fine day Im gonna make that leap of faith  
and sing the words I long to say

Burn the ships, burn the ships were here to stay  
Burn the ships, there is no other way  
If you have something to fall back on you well may  
So, burn the ships, I said, and throw a little fan on the  
flame

